

**Annual Joint Meeting
State Board of Education
Tennessee Higher Education Commission**

January 24, 2008, 3:00 pm (CST)
18th Floor Conference Room, Parkway Towers
404 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, Tennessee

Agenda

- 1. Welcome and Introductions**
- 2. Remarks by Governor Phil Bredesen**
- 3. Tennessee Diploma Project (TDP)**
Margaret Horn
Governor's Office
 - **Business TDP Outreach**
Ellen Thornton
Executive Director
Tennessee Business Roundtable
 - **Higher Education TDP Outreach**
Richard Rhoda
Executive Director
Tennessee Higher Education Commission
- 4. High School Diploma Requirements and Supportive Curricula**

Gary Nixon	Susan Bunch
Executive Director	Assistant Commissioner
State Board of Education	State Department of Education
- 5. Higher Education's Role in Standards Reform**

Charles Manning	John Petersen
Chancellor	President
Tennessee Board of Regents	University of Tennessee System
- 6. SBE and THEC 2007 Joint Report**
Richard Rhoda
Executive Director
Tennessee Higher Education Commission